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HORN, 613 F St. N. W

# POLICE FORCE DISMAYED

Continued from First Page.

ent force is entirely inadequate to the needs of a city like Washington."

"It is a well recognized fact," said Prosecuting Attorney James L. Pugh, "that the police force of the District of Columbia is entirely inadequate in point of numbers to afford predection to the property and citizens. I am certainly in favor of any movement started with an object of increasing the force, and hope the additional men asked for by Maj. Moore will be granted. Around the police court here I see the need, of more men demenstrated every day."

"I believe the present police force to be composed of good and efficient men," said Lawyer John A. Clarke, "but there are too few of them. Their numbers are insufficient to afford adequate protection to properly and citizens. It is well that some earnest effort is being made to increase the membership of the force, and I certainly hope the requests of the superintendent will be granted by the coming Congress. I have walked along the streets for squares without eaching sight of a blue-coat. This is not because the men are idle, but because there are so few of them."

### SIX SMALL ROBBERIES.

No I ocrease in the Datty List Reported to Headquarters. There seems to have been no let-up in the duily list of robberies reported to heasemarters. All sections of the city fare the same, and with the limited number of policemen available for street duty.

far the same, and with the limited number of policemen available for street duty, the wonder is that the robberies are not larger and even more frequent.

M. F. Fiynn, of No. 478 I street north west was made a victim fast night to the extent of a blue markintosh, a black overcoat a pair of astrakan gloves and a par of kid gloves.

William O. Dawson of No. 913 Twelfth street, was robbed of a handsome black betver overcoat by a bold thief in brand daylight. He was standing near the lank of the Republic, corner of Seventh and D streets, and had laid his coat aside for a mention. When he turned around it was gone

F. S. Elmore, of the Washington Long and Trust building was also the victim of a robbery that deprived him of an overcost and a pair of gloves.

James Lane of No. 1106 First street northwest reported the loss by theft of thirteen pairs of second-hand shoes.

James E. Jennison of No. 1711 Sixth street northwest reported either lost or stolen a lady sgold watch, chainand charm.

Sale of Property Sought.

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The papers were filed this morning by Raiston & Siddons, attorneys in behalf of Jeremiah Turner, Mary E. Turner Walton, Wm. Walton and Lucinda Turner, against Thomas Greenfield to enforce a sale of Cartain property described in the bill and for such partition of the proceeds as may be equitable.

The property involved is described as lot Q. In Cruichett's subdivision of lots in square 756, originally owned by one Alexander Turner.

### COMPANIES ARE WARRING

Two Electric Light Companies at the District Building.

Commissioners Have No Power or Right to Favor the Potomac Com pany-Attorneys Argue as to the Laws Daily Orders Issued.

Bridget & Co

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Standard of bilence is set year after year by the CO L U M B IA. It'll be the same next season as

present.

Mr. Garnett opened the discussion with a recital of legislation in regard to putting up poles and laying conduits for electric wires, beginning with 1883. He said an act in 1888 provided for the putting under ground of all wires after September 15 in in that year. After the act of 1885 there was no power with any one to put down conduits. An investigation had been made to determine just what ought to be done. TAKEN UP AGAIN.

In 1890 the subject was taken up again by an electric commission composed of ex-perts for the purpose of determining what would be the best uniform system of con-veying electric currents. This act gave the Commissioners no right whatever to grant bornelis

would be the best aniorm system or conveying electric currents. This act gave the Commissioners no right whatever to grant bermitis.

On March 3, 1891, an act was passed directing the commission to report on wiring houses, and added a provision that the Commissioners might grant permits to lighting companies for additional conduits not to exceed five miles in all.

In 1888 the Commissioners ordered underground all overhead wires. In 1889 this was repeated, and accordingly on March 4, 1891, all wires were legally underground. The only legal electric lighting then in existence was by subways. Congress directed that additional subways might be put in to the extent of five miles and no more. This must mean in addition to a system of wires aircady underground. The Potomac Company was not then in existence.

But the Commissioners' afterney had decided under an act of 1893 that the Potomac company might lay conduits. This act Mr. Garnett said he could not see how anything in that act couls give the Commissioners the power to grant a permit for anything.

He then took Mr. Thomas' opinion of November 13, in which the attorney says he has discovered that the Potomac Company has been furnishing electric light in severgetown for years. For this reason he had changed his opinion and thought the permit could be granted.

Mr. Garnett said they would show that the Potomac Company which had been doing so had been violating the law.

Maj. Powell asked if these laws applied to the whole District or only to Washington proper.

To a question from Commissioner Truesdel he replied that he had overstated in saving that the overhead wires of the Tenleytown road were illegal.

He read a paper showing that the Potomac Company was incorporated in 1894, and said it was impossible for the Commissioners to grant them the permit asked for.

LET DOWN THE BARS.

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He argued that if this permit were issued the bars would be let down, and electric lighting by this company could be extended throughout the District.

Mr. Redington took up the argument for the United States Company to show that the records here do not show that the Potomac Light and Power Company owns a dollar's worth of electric apparatus in the city. He couldn't see how the Commissioners could consider the granting of a permit except under mandate of court.

Congress had granted the right of extension of conduits not to exced five miles for the legally existing system up to a certain time, and this limit by the terms of the law itself had been removed in April, 1892, so that the United States Company may now extend its conduits.

He then argued at length against the issuance of a permit under the act of 1893 ched by Attorney Thomas.

Orders were issued as follows today:
Water main assessments canceled under the Birgdorf decision against to 15, block 32. Brookland, remaining installments against to 1. Wright subidivision Mount Pleasant, part of sublet \$1.82, and 83. Griswold's subdivision Chichester, lots 42, 43, 44, square 55, (all subort 65, square 723.

Contract with Norberg Manafacturing Company extended to September 27, 1895, without penalty.

Company extended to September 31, 1850, without penalty.
Seventy feet of ten-inch sewer be laid on Fourteeath street, between H and L.
Eighty feet of twenty-four-inch sewer be laid on Fourteeath street, between East Capitol and A streets north, and 400 feet between East Capitol and A streets south.

POLICE COURT CAPPING.

New Rule Adopted by the Judges to Stop the Practice.

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In fature those individuals known in police court parlance as "tappers" will have a hard and uneven row to hoe around the police court. Immediately after the tanadatious trial of Isaiah Lewis in the police court last Saturday, which resulted in a number of colored autorneys attempting to file charges with the major of police against. Policeman Flyan, who made the arrest, the two judges consulted together and the following order, filed and signed today, was the result:

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"That no person or persons not having business connected with the pelice court shall habitually loiter in either of the courtroons, halls, corridors or on the steps or in front of or in or about the police court building, that no person or persons shall approach any defendant, witness or other person having business before the said court for the purpose of solicting business for himself or other person, or for the purpose of procuring bonds for any person cawireted or committed by the judges of sald court in default of bonds.

"Any person volating any provisions of this order shall be deemed guitty of contempt of court and shall be punished accordingly."

empt of court and snat or partial ingly.

The officers of the court will see that this order is strictly enforced,"

Anti-Saloon League Meetings.

The Anti-Saloon League had charge last night of the regular evening meeting at Elemezer Methodist Episcopal Church, colored. After conducting the opening exercises Rev. Alexander Dennis, the pastor, introduced James L. Ewin, first vice president of the Anti-Saloon League, as the chairman on the evening. Mr. Ewin gave a brief description of the league, and a statement of how iodividual churches and individual citizens could co-operate in its work against the saloons, and then called on Mr. Edward S. Atkinson, who had been designated to speak on behalf of the league, read a paper entified. "Who are Responsible for the Saloons." The executive committee of the league meets this afternoon, and a business meeting of the league is to be held next Monday evening, at which time delegates to the national convention will be chosen. Anti-Saloon Lengue Meetings.

Colored Cyclers' Special Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the Washington branch of the American Uniton Cyclers, at the hall, No. 1005 R street morthwest, on Tuesday, November 26, at 7,30 p. m. starp. At the hast meeting of the association, which was held on last Tuesday evening, the committee on constitution presented their report, which was adopted. It calls for a meeting on the first and third Tuesday of each month. The meeting of Tuesday is a special one, called for special business, which will presented for consideration. All the colored wheelmen of the District of Columbia will come to this meeting and aid in this undertaking. There will be no initiation fee charged till the first meeting in 1896. Colored Cyclers' Special Meeting.

"Blood" Jones Sentenced.

"Blood" Jones pleaded guilty of larceny in criminal court No. 2 before Justice Cax this morning, and was sentenced to the penitentiary for a period of eighteen months. William Stanton, charged with larceny, withdrew the plea of "not guilty," previously entered, and was given a sentence of fifteen months at Albany.

"Blood" and William will doubtless go with the next batch of prisoners made up for transportation.

### Today's Weather Report

---Says Colder, with probable rain—are you pre--Says Colder, with pared for such weather?

-We are quite prepared to fit you out if you are not from your skin to your over-

Suits from \$10.00 up, such as you cannot duplicate at \$15.00.

Overcoats at the same figure, which you would pay a tailor \$18.00 or \$20.00 for and think you were getting a cheap coat.

-As to Underwear, we sell it cheaper and better than most people think-the right sort-just what you want to protect yourself against November weather. -Children's Clothing at

SPORTSMEN DRAFT A LAW

Preservation of Fresh Water Fish in the Potomac Is Its Purpose-

deeting of Prominent Washington Hunters and Anglers at Harper's Ferry-Uniform Rule Wanted.

A number of leading local sportsmen went to Harper's Ferry, W. Va., on Saturday last in response to a call issued by the Maryland Game and Fish Protective Association for a meeting to agree upon a uniform law for Maryland, Virginia, and West Virginia to regulate the catching of black bass in the Potomac River. The meeting was held at the clubbouse of the Blue Ridge Rod and fame Club.

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The following were present Col. James P. Willett. Dr. W. S. Harban, B. W. Frazier, John W. Macariney, W. A. Marns, William G. Sterett, Robert T. Hough, Joseph S. Miller, Eudolph Kauffmann, and William D. Rudy, representing the Woodment and Blue Ridge rod and gunclubs, and all from Washington.

Judge Edward Stake, William H. Armstrong, C. S. Schermerhorn, Dr. George W. Massamore, and J. G. McCleman, represent-

strong, C. S. Schermerhorn, Dr. George W. Massatnore, and J. G. McCleran, representing the Maryland Game and Fish Protective Association.

Mesars, Charles F. Nelson and J. J. Crim of Virginia.

A. S. Dandridge, Dr. A. S. Revnolds and Dr. G. H. Edwards, of West Virginia.

Letters received from T. M. Darrah, Wheeling, Forrest W. Brown, Charlestown, Fred. F. McComas, Hagerstown, and A. F. Dreset, of Ballinore.

Judge Stake was elected president, and Dr. George W. Massamore, secretary. Br. Massamore stated the object of the meeting, and after a discussion the following draft of a law was amanimously agreed upon:

"It shall not be fawful for any person to catch or kill any black bass, green bass, rock bass, pike or pickerel, or wall-eyed pike (commonly known as salmon) between the fifteenth day of April and the first day of June of each year, nor to catch or kill any of said spices of fish at any other time during the year save only with a rod, hook and line or dip net. Any person violating the provisions of this act shall be guilly of a misdemeanor, and shall be punishable on conviction by imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding six months, or by a fine not exceeding it wo hundred dollars (\$200), or by both fine and imprisonment.

"And it shall be the duty of the court at every session of the grand gry to callits attention to the provisions of this law. The provisions of this law shall not apply to the Potomac river or its tributaries below the Little Falls, mear washington.

The clubbouse of the Bige Ridge Rod and Gun Club is situated on a high bintf of the momentain overlooking the Potomac.

The clubhouse of the Bine Ridge Rod and Gun Club is situated on a high binff of the mountain overlooking the Potomac, about one mile below Harper's Ferry. The club has expended \$20,000 on its property, and every confort that can be desired is provided for its members and guests. The plumbing and bath arrangements are of the latest kinds.

The dining-room will seat fifty persons, and there are sleeping accommodations for thirty. The house is a model of confort, and the members are genial and hospitable gentlemen.

The delegates who attended the meeting were bandsomely entertained.

PUGILIST'S INSANE ACT. Being Despondent He Shoots His Two

Children and Himself.

New York, Nov. 25.—Herman Hattenhoft, who gave physical instruction to sons of prominent Brookisnites in the academy at Williamsburg, was found dead in his academy at 2 o'clock this morning.

Close by his side were the hod. of his two children, All had been shot. They had apparently been dead for hours.

Hattenhoft lived with his wife and their two children at No. 1103 Greene avenue. He left home with the children hat yesterday afternoon. She searched all through Williamsburg, and falling to find him, got a policeman.

They went to the academy. The door was lacked. They forced it, and found the three bodies. There was nothing to indicate why or how the father had shot the children and himself. He had been despondent lately.

Hattenhoft was 45 years old. Fourteen years ago he was a pugilist. Since then he had been the trainer of the Brooklyn Athletic Club.

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can be ready to distribute by Wednesday, the day before Thanksgiving, and therefore we announce that this great event will commence

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"A Love of a Wheel"-THE RAMBLER.

DOWNED THE WARNETAS. Ex-President Kennedy Is Given Full Rights in Typographical Union.

John L. Kennedy, expresident of Co-lumbia Typographical Union, No. 101, who was expelled from the union at a meeting held in September, has been reinstated by President Prescott of the International Union.

President Prescott of the International Union.

The alleged offense for which Mr. Kennedy was thrown out was for baving published certain criticisms of the Government Printing Office and members of the union who were employed there. At the time of his expalsion Mr. Kennedy alleged that the action of the union in expelling him was dictated by a secret, caft-bound or ganization existing principally in the Government Printing Office known as the Wahnetas, the miside history of which was published recently in The Times.

When he was fired out of the union Mr. Kennedy predicted that he would triumph over his opponents and be restored to full rights and privileges, but he thought be would be connecled to wait until a change of administration took place.

At the argent request of the editor of the American Craftsman and mion printers in several cities, he appealed to the president of the International Endon He intended to carry the action on up to the international body if the decision of the president was against him.

President Prescott has had the appeal in his possession for about two mounties, and he rendered his decision on the 21st. It reached Mr. Kennedy sesserious for the stores him to the full rights and privileges of the union. Mr. Kennedy is naturally very much elated over the favorable decision.

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Since his expulsion Mr. Kennedy says be has twice applied to President Tracy ignored all of his applications, although it was suggested to him by Prescott that he issue the permit to work. Mr. Kennedy feels that he has lost considerable money by the action of Mr. Tracy, as he had a position as proof-reader open to him during the time his appeal has been pending. President Prescott in his opinion says that the right of free speech must be upheld, and that a union printer has as much right to criticize the union as any one.

In closing President Prescott says: "I am also unable to see that the respondent has proven the altegration that appellant has revien the law. Consequently the action of Columbia Union, No: 101, in expelling John L. Kennedy, is declared null

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